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Illinois Route 161 – New Baden – St. Clair County

Collinsville, Illinois – The Illinois Department of Transportation today announced lane restrictions will be encountered on Illinois Route 161, west of FAI Route 64, beginning Monday, January 5, 2015. The lane closures are needed to construct drainage improvements, additional turn lanes, and intersection improvements at the intersection with Richter School Road in New Baden. The contractor completing this work will be Bruce Moore Construction.

Traffic control devices and changeable message signing will be utilized to assist motorists during these lane closures. The Department asks that all motorists be patient, reduce speed, and use additional caution when traveling near and throughout this work zone. Additional information is also available at www.stl-traffic.org/.

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